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## CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH BLAIRMORE

Rev. E. B. Arrol, B.A., Minister

Services Sunday next:  
11:00 a.m., Senior school.  
2:00 p.m., Junior school.  
7:30 p.m., Public Worship.

## ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE

Rev. J. R. Hague, A.Th., Incumbent

Services Sunday next—  
11 a.m., Matins and sermon.  
12 Noon, Sunday School.

## SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN

Lieut. S. Nahlrey and R. Hammond,  
Officers in charge.

### Sunday services:

11:00 a.m., Holiness Meeting.  
5:00 p.m., Sunday School.  
7:30 p.m., Salvation Meeting.  
Tuesday: 7:30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.

Wednesday: Sunbeam Brownies at 4:30 p.m., Boys' Club at 6 p.m.  
Thursday: 8 p.m., Praise Meeting.  
Funerals and dedications on application to the local officer.

## BELLEVUE BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Evangelist: Alfred Siple

11 a.m., Sunday school.  
7:30 p.m., Evangelistic service.  
We preach the Victory Life of Christ, and invite you.

## HILLCREST UNITED CHURCH:

Services every Sunday at 8 p.m.  
BELLEVUE UNITED CHURCH:  
Services at 7:30 p.m. every Sunday.

## COWLEY UNITED CHURCH:

Services alternate Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock.

Rev. W. H. IRWIN, Minister.

The Wake says: In wartime, remember half the gossip you hear, believe one tenth of it, and don't repeat any of it.

## C. C. F. CANDIDATE



O. E. Wobeck, of Bryons, was chosen as CCF candidate for the Macleod federal riding at a large and well represented nominating convention held at Claresholm on March 15.

He was born in South Dakota and came as a small boy with his parents to Canada in 1904. He has resided near Bryons ever since, except for several years spent in the United States as a young man, part of which time he spent working in the silver mines of Utah.

Mr. Wobeck started farming on his own in 1921, and has been a very successful and progressive farmer. He is also well known in Southern Alberta for his work in the Co-operative movement. For the past eight years he has been on the board; also served as vice-president and president of the South Alberta Co-operative Association at Lethbridge, one of the largest co-operatives of its kind in Western Canada. He is also manager and director of the Bryons Co-operative Association Ltd., a young and expanding co-op.

Mr. Wobeck has been connected with the CCF since its inception. He has been secretary-treasurer for the Little Bow constituency for eight years, and has also been organizer and secretary-treasurer for the Macleod federal for five years.

It is felt that with his wide experience in agriculture, business and mining, he thoroughly understands the problems facing the people of the riding, and that he is well able to carry the banner of the CCF.

## SPECIAL PLACEMENT FOR HANDICAPPED WORKERS

Hon. Humphrey Mitchell, minister of labor, announces that the Unemployment and Selective Service offices across Canada will open special services sections in the larger offices, to specialize particularly in the placement of workers who are physically handicapped, either through war service or civilian accidents. It appears that in these times of labor shortages, employers in a great many cases are realizing that physically handicapped workers are highly efficient in certain types of employment, so that it is hoped to take advantage of the heavy demands for workers of all types to assist in rehabilitating those who are handicapped, as they would be less certain of securing a start in employment at other times.

Bjorn Bjornson, NBC reported in Stockholm, broadcast a prediction Saturday last that the Allied invasion will come some time before the first of May.

## AIR CADETS OF CANADA

Turtle Mountain Squadron No. 157  
Blairmore

Tuesdays—  
Bugle Band parade 1830-1930 hours  
Thursdays—  
Drill for ACE's (drill hall) 1900-1945  
Rifle drill (school) 1900-1945  
Aircraft Recog. "A" Flt 1945-2030  
Signals, "B" Flt 1945-2030  
Aircraft Recog. "B" Flt 2030-2115  
Signals, "A" Flt 2030-2115

## LOCAL MINER MEETS DEATH

George Dancosine, who passed away in the local hospital shortly after falling down a chute at the Greenhill mine on Friday afternoon last, was very well known in Blairmore and throughout the Pass. He was in his forty-fourth years, was single and is survived by his mother, three brothers and a sister, Mrs. F. Battal of Blairmore.

George was born at Sallaumines, Pas de Calais, France, in 1900, and came to Alberta at the age of three with his parents. He was educated at the Pincher Creek convent and had been working in Blairmore for the past twenty-four years.

An inquest was held before Coroner D. MacPherson on Tuesday of this week. The jury empanelled consisted of I. Evans (foreman), C. Maniquet, C. Freeman, T. Silbert, J. Kudvala and B. Tamborini.

Funeral service was held at the Crows' Nest Undertaking Parlor on Monday afternoon, at which Rev. E. B. Arrol officiated, and at the graveside by Mr. Arrol and Mr. E. Williams, representing the local union of the U. M. W. of A.

The funeral was very largely attended, including 240 miners on foot and about one hundred by cars.

## NATAL OLDTIMER LAID TO REST

Funeral for the late Mrs. Elizabeth Hampton, who died at Natal after a long illness, took place recently, with service at Michel-Michel, Rev. Mr. Waugh, of Natal, officiating.

Mrs. Hampton was 80 years of age, born in Kilsay, England. She spent 41 years at Natal-Michel. Surviving are two sons, Joseph and John, and two daughters, Mrs. M. Krall, Natal, and Mrs. W. Lord, New Westminster. She was predeceased by her husband ten years ago. Pallbearers were L. Krall, P. Zeith, A. Hampton, T. Krall, C. Talbot and J. Kamie—Ferne Press.

## TO DISCUSS VICTORY LOAN

Lew Hutchinson, chairman Alberta Federation of Agriculture; Norman F. Priestly, general manager UFA Central Co-operative Association Limited, and George E. Church, director of the UFA, each intimately associated with the farm movement for many years, will participate in a Sixth Victory Loan radio discussion on Wednesday evening next at 10:15 over station CFAC, Calgary.

## NATIONAL PARKS BE- COMING WIDELY KNOWN

During the war the recreation features of the national parks have been utilized to a large extent by members of the air force from other parts of the Commonwealth who are temporarily stationed in Canada.

These holidays in the parks have served to give the young airman a sense of the variety of Canadian scenery and environment which they never would have been given at their training stations or in neighboring cities. The result has been already a large demand for literature about Canadian parks which is sent at the request of the airman to their friends overseas. With the return of peace it may be expected that many of these airmen will re-visit Canada, accompanied by their friends. There is in this situation the germ of a movement which may grow to large dimensions.

## GOLF CLUB NOTES

Sunday next will mark the opening of the Blairmore golf course for the season. Play will commence at 1:30 p.m., with mixed foursomes and hidden hole competitions. Tea will be served at the club house.

An exchange says Francis Bond married the Dahm girl.

## MAY DAY CELEBRATION

AT COLEMAN

Under auspices of Sub-District 5 of the U. M. W. of A., a mass meeting of workers is to be held at Coleman on Monday afternoon at 2:30, to be addressed by Elmer Roper, MLA for Edmonton; E. O. Duke, MLA for Pincher Creek - Crows' Nest; Angus J. Morrison, MLA for Edson and secretary-treasurer of District 18 of the U. M. W. of A.; Tom Uphill, MLA for East Kootenay; E. O. Wobeck, CCF candidate for Macleod, and Capt. L. Edwards, chairman of the Labor-Progressive party in Alberta.

## INVESTIGATE LIQUOR- BEER SITUATION

Public hearings in connection with the investigation into the beer and liquor situation by the legislative committee, Hon. C. E. Gerhart, Andy Davidson and H. E. Duboit, will be held in Edmonton, Calgary and Lethbridge on May 6, 20 and 22 respectively.

The committee is charged with responsibility of investigating the regulations concerning the distribution of beer in the province; the available supplies of liquor and beer in the province as compared with other provinces; the dilution of spirits, together with the practice now in force in this connection, and such other matters relating to the sale and distribution as the committee may deem desirable.

An organization meeting was held in Calgary on April 11th, when the committee decided that persons and organizations wishing to make representations must submit six copies of their written briefs to the secretary of the committee ten days before the public hearing at which they wish to appear. This will give the members time to study the briefs.

As a legislative committee, the investigating body has power to summon witnesses for the purposes of the investigation. At the conclusion of their studies, the committee will submit a report to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

All correspondence and submissions should be made to H. D. Carrigan, secretary, Alberta Liquor Investigation Committee, Legislative Building, Edmonton.

## VICTORY LOAN FLAG RAISED

At a gathering of citizens of Blairmore and Frank at the Blairmore central park on Sunday afternoon, the flag of victory connected with the loan campaign was raised and suitably honored. The Air Cadets' band stood nearby at attention and saluted the emblem.

Unit Organizer W. H. Chappel called upon LAC Schlosser to present the plaque to Mayor E. Williams, chairman of the Blairmore-Frank unit. In accepting same, he called upon the people to get busy and show that the people of this district are not lacking when it comes to any worth while endeavor.

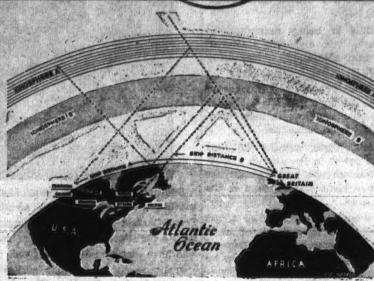
The ceremony closed with the singing of the national anthem, following which the majority of the audience proceeded to the Orpheum theatre, kindly loaned for the occasion by Mr. Cole, where a special showing of war pictures proved exceedingly interesting.

## VICTORY LOAN REACHES TWO HUNDRED MILLION MARK

Before going to press we received a telegram from Ottawa, stating that the Sixth Victory Loan had reached the \$200,000,000 mark in the \$1,000,000,000 campaign.

The third day's sales had amounted to \$65,138,600, divided \$30,965,203 for individuals and \$34,233,400 in large applications.

Cliff Swan has been elected first mayor of Kimberley, B.C.



## HOW BBC SHORT WAVES GET HERE

The illustration symbolizes graphically the mysterious "ionosphere," or Heaviside layer, at two different heights, and the course taken by shortwaves on their way from Britain to Canada. Irregularities in the ionosphere are among the chief causes of poor overseas reception. New CBC shortwave receiving stations at Dartmouth, N.S. and Hornby, Ont., are expected to improve overseas reception considerably.

## WILL ORDER BUSES CARRY FIRST AID

New regulations to be adopted by the provincial highway traffic board will require motor buses to carry first aid equipment, according to information received by the Alberta Motor Association.

Such equipment is required in some other provinces, it is understood, and the Alberta board is giving consideration to a similar regulation which would be of a general application.

In view of the large volume of passenger traffic on Alberta buses, it has been suggested that these vehicles should be required to carry first aid equipment in case of emergency or accident. Some buses operating in the province now carry such equipment.

A new board regulation required truckers to paint their license number on the body of the truck, "where the body is so constructed as to make the license markers on the rear window invisible from the rear."

In the license year ended March 31, last, there were 34,360 motor truck licenses issued by the board, compared with 32,136 in the previous year.

The number issued since April 1st exceeds the corresponding period of last year.

The miners' clubrooms at Hillcrest have been treated by Scott's the painters.

## COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Miss Nellie McWilliam, accompanied by her mother, was a Calgary visitor over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Cressman and Mr. and Mrs. L. Martin, and their families of small children, of Corbin, BC, paid a week-end visit to Mr. and Mrs. Ken Martin and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wycliffe, of North Fork, were week-end visitors with Mrs. Neilson at Pincher Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vishlow and two children have moved to Edmonton, where Fred is employed at the six-port.

Miss Ada Elton, of Calgary, returning from a visit to Fort Steele, BC, stopped off here to visit Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Elton and family.

Alvin Murphy and Morris Lemire were visitors to Calgary during the week end.

The ladies of the Cowley Red Cross were entertained by Mrs. Robert Littleton at her home on Thursday afternoon. Among other items of interest is the making of two quilts, necessitating a "bee" to finish them up.

Lethbridge is said to be one of the few cities in Canada which maintains a purely voluntary organization for the Victory Loan drive, and where all the commissions are pooled and divided among the service clubs for their war work.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

Indian troops have the lowest sickness rate of any United Nations soldiers in Italy.

Penicillin is being manufactured by 13 American and two Canadian firms in continually increasing amounts.

More than 200 agricultural camps are to be set up in Britain this summer for people willing to help farmers during their vacations.

The first three months of 1944 were the driest in Britain since 1929. There was an absolute drought for 27 days in Kent and 21 days in the London area.

A new use for palm oil as a fuel has been found as a result of trials which have taken place in England and a truck is now being driven by palm oil in Nigeria.

A Chinese dispatch said that Japanese occupation authorities of Peiping burned alive some 800 starving persons and beggars on the excuse they were infected with plague.

A 236-year-old English silver Queen Anne Kettle engraved with a coat of arms, with the lid shaped like a minaret, was sold for \$6,750 at an auction in London. It was made in 1708.

Royal Australian Air Force units in Northwest Australia formed their own fishing fleet to provide variety in their menu. Each unit nominates its own fishermen and the team is led by a keen amateur angler.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON  
APRIL 30PAUL WINS RECOGNITION FOR  
GENTLE CHRISTIANS

Golden text: Being therefore justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, Romans 5:1.

Lesson: Acts 15:1-35; Galatians 2:1-21.

Devotional Reading: Ephesians 2:1-22.

Explanations and Comments

A Crisis at Antioch of Syria, Acts 14:27-15:2.

The Smaller Conference at Jerusalem, Galatians 2:1-10. It is the general view that Paul here is writing about what occurred at Jerusalem on that momentous occasion.

Titus, a Gentile convert, was with Paul and Barnabas and before the general council meeting the three held a consultation with the Three Pillars of the Church, James, Peter, and John.

Paul's words are helpfully paraphrased by the One Volume Commentary: "It was an impulse from the Spirit which led me to go and explain my teaching to the leaders there, that I might see whether they approved it. That they did so was shown by the fact that they did not demand the circumcision of my companion, Titus, Gentile though he was."

Some, no doubt, desired it, but on account of the Judaizers, who were trying to bind the burdens of the law upon us, I utterly refused, because by allowing it I should have compromised the truth of the Gospel.

But the most influential leaders of the Jerusalem Church—let their authority be what it may, that does not concern the truth or divine approval of my teaching—had no desire to correct or supplement my views, but recognized that I had my sphere of labor among the Gentiles as truly as Peter had his among the Jews, and that each was successful in his own sphere. Not only so, but these leaders, James, Peter, and John, gave us the right hand of fellowship in token of their approval and sympathy, and bade us Godspeed in our foreign mission while they themselves sought to evangelize the Jews, only asking us to send contributions for the poor at Jerusalem, which indeed we were eager to do.

A Great Church Decision, Acts 15:4-21. The meeting of the larger council followed. There the missionaries gave an account of what had taken place in the newly-founded Gentile churches. Lengthy discussions followed, for so great a matter, which involved the question whether the gospel was for all Gentiles or only for the few who would first become Jews, could not be settled off-hand. Then Peter arose and after declaring that God had made no distinction between Gentiles and themselves, cleansing all hearts by faith, asked, "Why make ye trial of God, that we should put a yoke upon the neck of the disciples which neither our fathers nor we were able to bear? We believe that we shall be saved through the grace of the Lord Jesus, in like manner as they."

WAS HUGE TASK

Before the war, grass runways were used almost altogether at R.A.F. airfields in England. It is therefore an astonishing fact that since their conversion to concrete the tasks of building these runways was equal to that of rebuilding all the main highways of the whole of England.

One-half of the population of Tibet lives in tents, although that is one of the bleakest and windiest countries in the world.

A large dragonfly has eyes as big as those of a mouse. 2665

## Returned Airmen Join T.C.A.



As the beginning of a policy of rehabilitation of returned airmen, Trans-Canada Air Lines is engaging for its flight crews a number of men who have distinguished themselves on operational duties overseas and who are now back in Canada. They have been made available through an arrangement with the R.C.A.F. and are undergoing specialized air line training before being assigned to service.

The first group was photographed in Trans-Canada's Link Trainer room at Winnipeg. Left to right: FO. R. S. White, Orillia, Ont., who took part

in 40 operations, including 14 raids over Germany, served in Egypt and Libya and was at Malta for three months; FO. H. H. Bolton, Stettler, Alta., who was attached to the Coastal Command in Great Britain and flew as far as Iceland; FL. E. L. Howey, D.F.C., Exeter, Ont., who was a member of the Demon Squadron and took part in 1,000-bomber raids of Germany; FO. J. C. Morden, Fleming, Sask., who has 34 operations to his credit in Wellington bombers and was in Egypt and Libya; FO. R. C. Fogal, Edmonton, whose duties were over Scotland, Gibraltar and North Africa.

## Helpful Suggestions

Weird Ideas That Were Offered To The British Government In Last War

Every war brings out its share of screw inventions. While we are waiting to hear about the strange contrivances inspired by the present conflict it might be of interest to consider some individual suggestions which were offered to the British Government during World War I. They follow:

Blot out the moon on moonlight nights by means of a great beam of "black light," so the Germans could make no moonlight raids.

Build a cement gun to squirt cement over the Huns and "petrify" them.

Press the clouds and mount artillery on them from airplanes.

Send over the German lines a fleet of balloons carrying powerful magnets which would jerk the guns out of the enemy's hands and the tanks back from their heads.

Shoot poisonous snakes into the German trenches by compressed air.

Bees have a hook-and-eye system on their wing edges, enabling them to fasten the front and back wings into a single unit in flight.

## Swallowed Needles

French Canadian In Army Detention Barracks In England Was Hungry

Needles may sound like very unsatisfying fare to most people, but to a French-Canadian in army detention barracks in England, they were better than nothing. He said he swallowed them because he was always hungry. Pte. Paul Gagne once earned a living on the stage in Coney Island swallowing needles, razor blades and pieces of glass. He went back to his tricks more recently to "beat" the army, as he described it, because he had been put in detention. At various times he swallowed three needles—about three inches long—and they caught him no injury. "In barracks I was on bread and water and was always hungry," he explained. "In hospital I was able to get a good meal."

## HAS SECOND SIGHT

John E. Lindley, of Tucson, Arizona, past his 100th birthday, is thought by his neighbors to have second sight. He used them until he was 90, then cast them aside because he couldn't get a pair to fit. Now he reads daily the small print of his Bible without so much as a squint.

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



A ROSE, TECHNICALLY SPEAKING, DOES NOT HAVE THORNS! THEY'RE PRICKLES!

OUCH!

**SOUTH AMERICA IN 1930 SAW THE SPREAD OF A MALARIAL TYPE MOSQUITO THAT NEVER BEFORE HAD BEEN SEEN IN THE NEW WORLD, AND IT IS BELIEVED THE INVASION CAME FROM ONE MOSQUITO STOWAWAY ON AN AIRPLANE FROM THE AFRICAN CONTINENT.**

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I WANT A BOY WHO CAN FOLLOW ORDERS—ONE WHO CAN KEEP HIS MOUTH SHUT—ONE WHO CAN SAY 'YES' WITHOUT QUESTION!

ONE TO OBEY MY EVERY WHIM—ONE TO FOLLOW WHILE I LEAD...

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BY GENE BYRNES

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## ALL HEALTH CONTRIBUTES TO INCIDENCE OF CRIME

"Poor health is one of the most persistent and challenging of the many and varied problems which confront the probation officer in his day-to-day attempts to rehabilitate offenders," says William C. Nay, Federal State Probation Officer, whose job is the rehabilitation of persons freed by courts and prisons. In an article on "Poor Health—A Persistent Problem in Supervision," appearing in the quarterly periodical, "Federal Probation," he says, "In normal times a large number of probationers have physical ailments; but today, when the physically fit have been inducted into the armed services, the percentage of cases with health problems is extremely high. Throughout the country many probation cases involving frequent job changes, temporary unemployment, a return to delinquent ways of living, alcohol and narcotic addiction, and other types of maladjustment, may be traced to some form of poor health."

Many of the problems involved in dealing with probationers and parolees whose health precludes their adjusting normally to their environment have both physiological and psychological aspects, according to Mr. Nay. He mentions the need of vocational training or guidance for handicapped ex-convicts, and the special supervision needed in cases of persons suffering from tuberculosis, venereal disease, and other ills.

New types of cases are resulting from the war, he points out. "Already our courts are hearing cases involving service men discharged for medical reasons; and, no doubt, these cases will multiply."

## BEING USED AGAIN

Dr. William Beebe's famous bathysphere, in which he observed and recorded the wonders of the ocean depths for his popular books, is now being used by the U.S. Government for testing depth charges, the scientific reports. Dr. Beebe feels that he is well out of it.

## WILL BE REPLACED

Within a few hours after the announcement that the cruiser Penelope had been sunk, Blackpool, which had adopted the ship, telegraphed the Admiralty it would raise \$9,000,000 by the end of the year to replace the ship.

## Steps Up Production

British Factories Have Found Music Great Help To Workers

The seven dwarfs' idea of music while you work has become so popular since the outbreak of war that several hundred factories now have broadcasting systems in their workshops. Personnel managers have found that music steps up production considerably by counteracting mental fatigue and staleness among work people.

The type of music played and when it is played also seems to make a difference. Marches when shifts change create a cheerful atmosphere, and waltzes during fatigue periods help relax tired muscles, it has been found.

Buttons covered with cloth were prohibited in England in 1721.

## Training in India

Bullocks Go Through Hard Training To Get Used To War Conditions

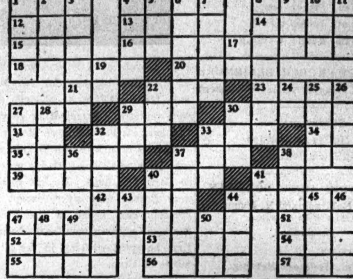
Bullocks are now receiving battle training in India to get them used to the noises and shocks they will be subject to as members of the new Indian pack-bullock companies.

Their instructor is Lieut. A. J. Mills, who put them through a tough course. Red flags are waved in front of their noses, thunder flashes explode all round them and on their forced marches through the jungle they encounter gas-rattles and drums. When the course is finished they are given battle dress—which consists of camouflaging their white hides.

From 1853 to 1930 the play "Uncle Tom's Cabin" was showing somewhere in America, giving it the longest continuous "run" of any production.

## X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X

No. 4880



## HORIZONTAL

1 Possession  
4 Lighting device  
12 Part of a circle  
13 Eskimo settlement  
14 Metal  
15 Beverage  
16 To diversify with different colors  
18 To rush out suddenly  
20 Mountain lake  
21 To act  
22 Seward's dummy  
23 Persia  
27 Hindu distance measure  
29 Play on words  
30 To explode  
31 Spanish article  
32 Gossip  
33 Womans  
34 Negative  
35 Religious  
37 Sheltered  
38 Cave  
39 Wrong

## VERTICAL

1 Head coverings  
2 Plans  
3 Surface  
4 To impose and collect by force  
5 Lotion  
6 Greek letter  
7 Small bottle  
8 Stately bearing  
9 War god  
10 To be sprinkled  
11 Unit  
17 Tautology  
19 Behold  
22 To place  
24 Artificial language  
26 Former English queen  
28 Gaseous element  
37 Retained  
38 Medley  
39 Dance step  
40 Part of "To be"  
42 Epidemia  
43 Decade  
46 Either  
47 Boundaries  
48 Slight depression  
49 Tarsus  
51 Pronoun  
52 Greek letter  
54 Smooth  
56 Accommodated ceremony  
57 Honey  
58 Hummingbird  
59 Iniquity  
60 Resident of a court

## Answer to No. 4877



## LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"I was so ashamed of you wanting to leave early... The Bolls got the idea that you consider your job more important than their party!"

## BY GENE BYRNES





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## CAN CANADA CARRY THE LOAD

In case you are worried about the astronomical public debt which is being piled up as a result of the war, take heart. According to Graham Towers, governor of the Bank of Canada and general chairman of the national war finance committee, who should know if anybody does, there is no cause for alarm—yet. The real burden of debt charges, he says, is less than it was twenty years ago. Nor is it likely that there is cause to fear the increases which will occur before the war ends. He added: "I do not wish to suggest that public debt could be increased at the present rate for an indefinite period of time without placing an intolerable strain on the economy."

During the next year, we shall be spending something like \$100 million a week on war expenditures; approximately \$10,000 a minute. Of this staggering sum, the RCAF accounts for \$21 million, \$30 million goes to the army and \$8 million to the navy. The balance, roughly \$40 million, is for the production of war materials.

Mr. Towers points out that the Sixth Victory Loan would cover these expenditures to only a small degree, with its objective of \$1,200 million. As in the last loan, individuals will be counted upon for \$335 million, or approximately 44 per cent of the total.

Our ability to carry the great national debt is due mainly to the fact that the national income has just about doubled since the outbreak of the war, and the successive Victory loans, in order to be a success, require the support of individual citizens, because the national income is very widely distributed—more than 80 per cent of it goes to those who earn less than \$3,000 a year. Said Mr. Towers: "To achieve a successful loan, we want still more buyers and we want to increase the average amount bought. It will take real self-denial on the part of the

## C.P.R. Gun Plant in Foothills Aids Atlantic Convoys



Three thousand, four hundred and thirty-eight feet above sea level and 2,600 rail miles from the Atlantic seaboard, the Canadian Pacific Railway's Ogden Shops in Calgary provides an outstanding example of the switch-over of the entire C.P.R. system from peace to war. Naval guns made there, at one of the approaches to the Rocky Mountains, have played, and are playing, their part on those other celebrated approaches—the Atlantic approaches to the Old Country—over which supplies for the fighting fronts have to pass.

The 12-pounder gun, inset on the left, in this picture of men at

work finishing gun barrels in the great foothills work centre, is a sample of the type of ordnance turned out at Ogden Shops, which now is preparing to go into production on its fifth type of naval gun mount. British, Canadian and American sea services all have shared in the ordnance turned out to fight against Hitler's underwater killers.

Ogden Shops' floor space of 235,000 square feet, full overhead crane service and geographical location first convinced the Department of Munitions and Supply and its advisers that the

Calgary shop was an ideal place to turn out the naval guns and a request was made for its use late in the Fall of 1940. To make way for the navy work the shops had first to be cleared of the major locomotive and mechanical repairs it normally handled for the C.P.R. from British Columbia, Alberta and part of Saskatchewan, with this repair schedule of vital importance in itself to war freight and passenger movements. Heavy repairs now go to Winnipeg and in some cases as far as Angus Shops in Montreal and light repairs to smaller local repair shops.

Canadian people to make this possible."

We shall have, to an increasing degree, to confine our purchases to strict necessities and thus make a larger proportion of our individual incomes available for buying more Victory bonds; and the more money you lend now the more money you are saving—the more money your Victory bond investment is making—the more money you will have to spend on the bigger and better values in post-war products. That, of course, is looking merely at the practical side of the proposition. The real reason for buying bonds is that it is our plain duty to see that our fighting men have an abundance of what they need to achieve Victory. Our role at home is to produce—and to pay for what we make and ship. With our dollars, we can help pass the ammunition to our boys on every forward line. Right now—let us save more—lend more.

The toll of the crash of a large RAF transport plane at Montreal now totals sixteen. A number of buildings were destroyed in the vicinity of the old St. Bonaventure station.

Fishing in South Alberta streams will open on June 16th, not June 1st as was expected.

## WASN'T A GAMBLER

As indicated by a man who faced a criminal charge in city police court Thursday, there are some fine distinctions that must be drawn even between professions that border on the underworld.

A witness referred to him as a gambler, declared that he earned his living by gambling. He was quick to protest. He was not a gambler, he said. Maybe he was wasting his time trying to convince the witness, he declared, but he wanted court to know he wasn't a gambler. He was a dealer, had been a dealer for 14 years. It was his trade, his profession. He wanted everyone to be clear on the point: not a gambler—a dealer.

Sure, he worked regularly at the trade—had been dealing cards at clubs for 14 years. He didn't finish telling.

—Albertan Bright Spot.

Last week end we received a copy of Volume 1, Number 4, of the YPA News, published by the Young People's Association of Lundbreck. It is to appear every other Friday and contains many items of community and district interest. Miss Jean Carswell is the club's secretary. Already they have sponsored sports, such as basketball, baseball, etc.

## QUEER QUERIES

Have you seen a sheet for the river bed,

Or a single hair for a hammer's head? Has the foot of a mountain any toes, And is there a pair of garden hose?

Does a needle ever wink its eye?

Why doesn't the wing of an army fly?

Can you tickle the ribs of a parasol, Or open the trunk of a tree at all?

Are the teeth of a rake inclined to bite?

Have the clock hands any left or right?

Is the garden plot quite deep and dark?

And what is the sound of a birch's bark?

—T—

"But, my dear, I haven't spoken for ten minutes."

"No, Henry, but you've been listening in a most aggravating manner, and I'm not going to stand for it."

—V—

Bobby was in a store with his mother when he was given candy by one of the clerks. "What must you say, Bobby?"

"Charge it," he replied.

—V—

May 1st has been proclaimed Arbor Day in Alberta.

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David Ferguson, who is attending the University of Alberta in Edmonton, was home this week on a brief visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ferguson.

Freda Antrobus, of Coleman, was heard in a quartette singing from Toronto on Thursday night of last week.

Fincher Creek again went over the top in the Victory Loan drive, this time some hours, or perhaps days, before the hour set for the actual opening of the drive. On Sunday they announced their quota of \$233,000 had already been passed. Work on the second pennant started Monday morning.

Edmonton coal mine operators are at a standstill about opening or abandoning union mines in the Edmonton area, although they discussed their problems last week with G. A. Viasac, of Ottawa, and W. J. Taylor, of Calgary, Dominion coal representatives. The Edmonton district mines have been closed for the past four weeks, unable to continue in operation on the Dominion government's 65-cent-a-ton subsidy. They ask for 79 cents a ton.

A proposal is on foot to convert the Napanee and Queen's hotels at Fernie into apartments. The Marwell Construction Company, of Vancouver, are said to have the contract and that work is to start about May 1st.

One of Fernie's well-known business men of twenty-five years ago passed away in Kallispel on Thursday of last week in the person of Gus Koseoff. Deceased had been ill for some time and his passing was not unexpected. Gus always had a warm spot for Fernie and made it his business last week with G. A. Viasac, to come here at least twice a week. He was a member of the Kallispel Rotary Club and the Fernie Club. Gus was a great friend of the late E. K. Stewart and it was a coincidence that they should die within a few days of each other.

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The proceeds of this loan will be used by the Government to finance expenditures for war purposes.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

APRIL 1944



## THE WAR NOT WON YET

This war is far from won, no matter what some may say. In the spring of 1918 the odds were heavily in favor of the Germans winning the war, and yet by November the Germans were beaten.

Wars are won with great difficulty, but can easily and quickly be lost. Wars have often been lost from the lack of a few extra men, some extra equipment, munitions or guns. The only assurance of victory is to have more men, more and better weapons and equipment than the enemy.

Then, too, with my own eyes I have seen young men killed in battle because they did not have at hand sufficient munitions.

To train, equip and transport manpower, to manufacture munitions and to make them available to fighting men costs money and lots of it. The government depends on the sale of Victory Bonds for a considerable part of the money it needs.

As I see it, it is not a mere privilege that we have to buy Victory Bonds, it is a sheer undeniable high duty and responsibility we must assume in order to supply the government with sufficient money to prevent unnecessary loss of life, and to ensure the winning of battles and of the war. Only by winning the war can we escape being enslaved by our enemies. Only by winning the war can we be assured of a free and bright future for ourselves and for our children.—H. L. Strange.

## PREJUDICE

In a recent address on prejudice, which is the root of anti-Jewish feelings, Mr. G. W. Boissevain, Netherlands charge d'affaires at Ottawa, quoted this brief scene from the Dutch author, Multatuli:

Bailiff: Your Honor, there is the man who murdered Barbara.

Judge: The man must hang. How has he committed his crime?

Bailiff: He cut her in small pieces and salted them.

Judge: He did very wrong. . . He must hang.

Accused: Your Honor, I have not killed Barbara! I fed and dressed her and cared for her. I can bring witnesses who will declare that I am a good man and not a murderer.

Judge: You must hang! You increase your crime by your conceit. It does not behoove any one who is accused of a crime to call himself a good man. You must hang! You have cut up Barbara, salted her and yet you are pleased with yourself! Three capital points. . . . Who are you, woman?

Woman: I am Barbara. . . .

Accused: Thank the Lord! Your Honor, now you see that I have not murdered her.

Judge: Hm! . . . Yes. Hm! That is so, but the salting?

Barbara: No, your Honor, he has not salted me! He has been my benefactor. He is a noble man!

Accused: You hear, your Honor, she says that I am a good man. . . .

Judge: Hm! . . . The third point remains. Bailiff, take this man away. He must hang. He is guilty of conceit.

—“V”

Coleman merchants are seriously considering the organization of a Coleman Merchants' Association.

—“V”

Mary had a little lamp—

It was well trained, no doubt,  
For every time her sweetie came  
The little lamp went out.

—“V”

## Confusion of Words

A traveller asked for a Pullman berth and was told there was a difference of 50 cents in price between an upper and a lower berth.

The attendant explained as follows:

“The lower is higher than the upper. The higher price is for the lower. So if you want it lower you will have to go higher. That is, we sell the upper lower than the lower. Most people don't like the upper, although it is lower, on account of it being higher. When you occupy an upper berth you have to get up to go to bed and get down to get up.”

# Can You Help Protect Our Fighting Men?

There is no such thing as a safe war. But each man faces less real danger when the enemy is pounded by overwhelming firepower. Your Victory Loan dollars help provide the tremendous equipment our men need.

Can you think of anything more important?

**Put Victory First---Buy Victory Bonds!**

## ADDRESSES ON THE MOVE...

**When a man is wounded in action or seriously ill,** he is rushed through field and base hospitals with all possible speed, to the place where most effective treatment can be given. Because of this rapid movement, his mail may not "catch up" for some time, yet, if ever he longed for a letter from home, it is at such a time.

To offset possible delays, a new "Short-Cut" mail service has been put into effect. A Priority Casualty Card is filled in and rushed by Air Mail to his friends or relatives with instructions to add the words "In Hospital" to the unit address they usually use.

Letters mailed from Canada bearing the words "In Hospital" are routed direct to the records office in the United Kingdom or the Central Mediterranean Force, as the case may be. They are given preference in transport, whether sent by Air Mail or regular mail. Thus they will reach the addressee faster than ever before.

It is inevitable that in tracing men who have been moved, or wounded, some delays occur. But you can rest assured everything that can mean speedier deliveries of letters to your men is being well and thoroughly done—and will be done.

When you get a Priority Casualty Card be sure the words "In Hospital" are added to the regular unit address when writing overseas.

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## THEY DO NOT FIGHT ALONE

Our purchase of Victory Bonds does not line us up as an active participant with the Canadians in battle dress in the grim battle being waged in Europe. We cannot fool ourselves on this point. For there is little or no sacrifice here in Canada that can be related even remotely to the hazardous life or death work in which our boys are engaged overseas.

Yet the purchase of Victory Bonds is vital to the well-being of our men in battle for two reasons. First, the cash we thus provide maintains the flow of necessary material to the fighting forces. Secondly, and perhaps more important, the enthusiastic support which Canadians at home give to a Victory Loan informs the boys overseas better than any other method we have at our command that the hearts and minds of the overwhelming majority of folks back home are with them.

And a fool can ask questions that a wise man can not answer.

Plans are already being made for the annual Castle River stampede, to be held in July.

Mrs. Max Stigler, of Coleman, has been a hospital patient at Edmonton during the past week or more.

This week The Coleman Journal is being published by the Coleman high school students who have accepted the invitation.

Oscar Gelinas has returned from a several months visit to Montreal and other parts of Quebec province. He has accepted a position with a Macleod business establishment.

Mrs. J. Hayes and two children, of Calgary, and Mrs. J. Reeves, of Vancouver, are visiting their mother, Mrs. F. Gilroy, Sydney Price, who recently returned from overseas, was on the same train from Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rypien, residents of Coleman for the past forty-one years, have purchased the dairy in southwest Blairmore, and have taken up residence there. Associated with them are their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Yuris, formerly of Hillcrest.

At an auction sale of donated goods at Vulcan by the Elks the neat sum of \$898.50 was realized for the benefit of organizations as follows: Red Cross \$334.50, Save the Children Fund \$197.25, Salvation Army \$50.10, Vulcan Hospital \$67.55, Cigarette Fund \$211.20, Wood's Home \$33.00, Vulcan Rest Room \$4.50.

FO John McDonald and Mrs. McDonald and young daughter arrived in Coleman a couple of weeks ago, guests of Mr. McDonald's father, Mr. J. O. C. McDonald. John has since left for Edmonton, where he has been transferred from the Pacific coast. Mrs. McDonald remains in Coleman for a while.

In a letter to local ration boards throughout Canada, Donald Gordon, Prices Board chairman, thanked volunteer helpers who distributed nearly 12,000 ration books across the Dominion during ration book week. "Distribution of ration books is a colorless, sometimes thankless job. We of the board do thank you. We are proud of your accomplishment. Congratulations on a job well done."

The Gulf Research Development Company has secured a new crown reservation, the second largest acreage acquisition made so far in the Alberta foothills, 71,200 acres. They now dominate the South Alberta foothills, with control over more than 302,000 acres, extending from the Lundbreck - Pincher Creek area in the south to the Pekisko Hill area within seven miles of the south end of the Turner Valley oilfield.

## Men, 30, 40, 50!

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## Urge Economic Council For The British Empire

LONDON.—Parliament held an empire clinic, but in deference to the forthcoming meeting of dominion prime ministers, the government made no commitment on proposals for improving unity.

"The government is going to take no final decision on these matters that have been discussed until we have had an opportunity to discuss them with the dominion governments' representatives," explained Hugh Dalton, president of the board of trade, after the first half of a two-day empire debate.

Replying for the government after members advanced such proposals as creating an economic council to plan development of the empire's resources, Mr. Dalton said it would be wrong and discourteous if a government spokesman were to prejudice any matters raised in debate which would be considered at the coming "family council".

This council was called "at the most decisive moment in the war and the most decisive and dramatic moment in the history of the world and of the empire itself," he added.

Dr. Dalton promised a frank discussion on all matters with the dominions' prime ministers and said the government would seek to achieve a united empire policy in peace as it had in war. The government aimed at full employment and raising standards of life in each part of the empire.

Regarding trade, he said the government would not alter any preferential arrangements as they now exist except after discussion and agreement with the dominion governments.

"We must expand our trade with the empire but it is also necessary to do so with other important areas of the world," he said.

The board of trade president added that nobody has asked Britain to disassociate herself from the South American market and she had no intention of doing so.

All speakers in the debate agreed on one thing—the close wartime unity in the commonwealth would be perpetuated in peace.

Emmanuel Shinwell Labor opened the debate in the morning with the economic council proposal.

The economic council representing the whole empire should plan development of resources and post-war economic arrangements with western European countries Mr. Shinwell said. It should take an immediate inventory of the empire's resources and inquire now, in preparation for the war's end into possibilities of economic expansion particularly in India.

Mr. Shinwell said also Britain should consider the possibility of effecting some arrangement with Scandinavia, the Netherlands, Denmark, Belgium and liberated France which could dovetail into the economic commonwealth.

Mr. Shinwell asserted, "We have no intention of throwing the British commonwealth of nations overboard in order to satisfy a section of the American press or anyone else."

Mr. Shinwell praised Canada for entering the war without waiting for the war to come to her and said there were elements who looked to the time 20 or 30 years hence when Canada would be the greatest country in the world.

But, he added, the dominions could prosper only by disposing of their products. The British market was still the one most important bargaining factor in trade and commerce and Britain should avail herself of the empire's vast goodwill market.

### STILL A MENACE

Germany Likely To Use Submarines Again, Says British Commander

OTTAWA.—German submarine warfare is still a "very definite menace" and is likely to break out again with renewed fury, Lieut. Norman Jewell, one of Britain's outstanding submarine commanders, said here in an interview.

Lieut. Jewell, who has sunk or damaged 14 enemy vessels, said the current lull in U-boat attacks probably could be assigned to two major reasons.

"The recent blows against German warships, the Tirpitz and Scharnhorst, for instance, have probably had repercussions among navy personnel," he said. "The Germans undoubtedly have been forced to keep their submarines at home through low morale and because they want as many as possible on hand when the Allies invade the continent."

## Canadian Church Parade At Windsor Castle



—Canadian Army Overseas photo.

For the first time in World War II, Canadian troops held a Church parade recently at the world famous Windsor Castle in England. Photograph shows Canadians marching into St. George's Chapel in the Castle grounds. Windsor Castle is the "home" residence of the King and Queen.

## Britain Plans Measures For German Control

LONDON.—Britain is determined that so far as humanly possible nothing will stand in the way of curbing Germany's future war potential, Lord Cherwell assured the house of lords.

Speaking for the government in a debate initiated by Lord Vansittart, Lord Cherwell promised professional scientists would be asked to help and the government intended to take the necessary steps without permitting "tenderness to the enemy or troubles it might involve for him" to interfere.

Lord Vansittart proposed the government appoint a committee of scientists to plan measures of control, particularly for Germany's chemical industry.

He urged partial deindustrialization of Germany after the war and said he presumed Germany would be inter-Alied control of German heavy iron and steel industries and prohibition of such industries as aviation, machine tools, synthetic gasoline and synthetic rubber.

"A great part of the world's present appalling troubles has arisen from the fact that Germany has been greatly over-industrialized and these measures would, I think, be part and parcel of reasonable deindustrialization," said Lord Vansittart, an outspoken proponent of the idea of breaking Germany.

Lord Strabolgi suggested that German heavy industry might be useful in the reconstruction of Europe and said he thought people in control of industries rather than the existence of industries caused wars.

"We want to see a new German generation growing up which will collaborate with Europe and will be peaceful, prosperous and contented," he said.

The Earl of Perth proposed that Germany be deprived of aircraft, battleships, submarines and tanks. Airplanes for internal needs could be imported under licence and Germany should lose the right to acquire freely such metals and minerals as manganese, wolfram, tungsten and nickel.

### BANK OF ENGLAND GOVERNOR

LONDON.—Lord Catto was elected governor of the Bank of England, succeeding Montagu Norman, who announced his retirement April 6 "due to illness and advanced age." For a quarter century, Mr. Norman had headed the bank. Basil Clegg was re-elected deputy governor.

OTTAWA.—Air Minister Power said in the commons that transport aircraft for the movement of troops in the defence of Canada would be available in 1944, a year earlier than had been expected.

## LIBERATED AREAS

Russia Has Not Asked For Assistance Under United Nations Relief Plan

OTTAWA.—Brooks Claxton, parliamentary assistant to Prime Minister Mackenzie King, said in the commons that as far as he knew Russia had not yet requested assistance for liberated areas under the United Nations relief and rehabilitation administration.

He was answering Hon. Grote Stirling (P.C., Yale) during discussion of a bill covering a Canadian contribution to U.N.R.R.A. expenses. Mr. Stirling asked if Russian areas recently liberated and eastern European countries it was hoped would soon be liberated were covered by the U.N.R.R.A. arrangements.

Mr. Claxton said U.N.R.R.A. was not undertaking the task of reconstruction, as of industry, but simply sought to rehabilitate nations so they could help themselves. Experience in North Africa, Sicily and Italy had aided U.N.R.R.A. in estimating the needs of other lands to be liberated. These estimates were being revised from time to time.

## RICHES OF NORTH

Conceded To Hold More Minerals Than Any Other Part Of World

CALGARY.—The pre-Cambrian shield which runs from the south shore of Great Bear lake, south to west end of Great Slave lake, east of Fort Smith and through northern Saskatchewan and Manitoba, is conceded to hold more mineral wealth than any other part of the world, declared Colonel Harry Snyder, F.R.G.S., world explorer and big game hunter, who spoke to a service club here.

Col. Snyder, who owns a ranch in the Red Deer valley west of Olds, spoke of his expedition in the Northwest Territories in 1934 to find out about the wood basin.

The area contains every kind of metal including tin, vast timber resources, the greatest natural water power in the world and good farming land.

Approximately one-half of the doctors in Russia today are women.

## Royal Family Enjoys A Rough Ride



Standing up in a military scout car, King George (right), Queen Elizabeth and Princess Elizabeth, who celebrated her 18th birthday on April 21, are shown as the royal family conducted a full-length inspection tour of armored infantry units poised for the invasion of western Europe. During the inspection the royal family rode jeeps and half-tracks and seemed to enjoy the rough ride.

## Theatres Of War Just A Memory To Repatriated Canadians



—Canadian Army Photos.

The war theatres are just a memory to the Canadian soldiers shown above on their return to Canada aboard the Army hospital ship "Lady Nelson". The men were transferred to hospital trains shortly after arrival. (Left) are shown Pte. Gordon Allan of Alliance, Alta., left, and L-Cpl. H. H. Way of Powell River, B.C., on the right. Allan was wounded in Sicily, with the Canadian Infantry Corps; Way, who wears the good conduct stripes on his sleeve, was injured in a motorcycle accident in England. On the (right) is shown one of the ubiquitous card games on the hospital train, with Spr. W. Z. Demars of Gibbon, Alta., left and Pte. M. R. Likes of Fairview, Alta., right. Likes was wounded while fighting with his unit near Mt. Etna, Italy. Demars was injured by a shell while preparing supper outside his billet in Italy.

## Just A Sailor



A survivor of three enemy torpedoes during close to four years of sea travel, 22-year-old L.S. Wilfred Greenwood, R.C.N.R., of Goderich, Ont., can't get used to the idea of being ashore.

## TENSE SITUATION

Danes Call General Strike For Killing By The Nazis

STOCKHOLM.—German troops dispersed thousands of demonstrating Danes in Sonderborg during a general strike called after German naval guns "had" killed one person and wounded two.

Crowds accompanied the coffin to the Central station and sang songs directed at the Nazis.

Copenhagen despatches said the situation was tense in the town, a manufacturing centre of 40,000 in southern Jutland, and that a number of arrests had been made.

Barbed wire barricades were erected and Danish police assisted by Germans patrolled the streets with machine-guns.

## RUMOR DENIED

NEW YORK.—The semi-official Vatican newspaper Osservatore Romano was quoted by the Vatican radio as terming as "a pure invention" the Nazi-originated rumor that a time bomb had been discovered in the famed Sistine chapel.

## Canadians Man Two Aircraft Escort Carriers

OTTAWA.—Canadian naval personnel have now manned two escort aircraft carriers of the Royal Navy, it was announced by Hon. Angus I. Macdonald, minister of national defence for naval services.

Manning of the carriers had been forecast in two previous statements by the minister. It has been pointed out that the carriers are Canadian-manned so far as seaman personnel is concerned; flying personnel is of the Royal Navy's fleet air arm. The ships are under operational direction of the British admiralty.

Manning of the carriers introduces a new set of facts, figures and formulae to Canada's Navy. To date it has been a navy of small ships manned largely by inexperienced young men reared far from the sea, who have brought many new ideas to old problems. Naval officials suggest it is perhaps just this quality which has enabled the much larger aircraft carriers to be taken over without fuss and with very little bother.

The carrier is actually a hull built around a complete flying field in miniature. It has runways and hangars, repair shops, high test gasoline storage, a complete meteorological station, and the latest in ranging and detection devices. In addition, there are hundreds of electrically powered machines ranging from freight elevators large enough to lift a several ton aircraft between flight deck and hangar deck, down to the small half horsepower motors powering precision drills and valve grinders.

Nearly 500 feet long from stem to stern, the flight deck, clean and flat as a billiard table, stretches from end to end. The elevators which take aircraft to and from the hangar deck immediately below it, are flush and form a part of the runway when in position.

Smokestacks are carried out below the flight deck to one side and at no point rise above it. The superstructure with its navigating bridge, mast and aerials, has been crowded over to the starboard side completely clear of the runway and overhanging the side of the ship.

Below the hangar deck runs the full width of the ship and almost the entire length. It houses rows of aircraft, wings folded against their sides.

## Says Empire Should Unite On Air Power

VICTORIA.—The British empire should stand together in development of the air power of the future, Premier George Drew of Ontario told a Kiwanis-Canadian Club luncheon here.

He said that now is the time this decision should be made and that there should be a full discussion of the matter.

Development of air transportation is going to mean that the nations of the empire and commonwealth will be able to knit themselves more closely together than ever before.

There had been a feeling, the premier said, that talk of the empire working together in a great and powerful fellowship would be resisted in the United States. He said he does not agree with this.

"I believe the people of the United States are hoping for a more strongly knit empire to stand side by side with them in the years to come," he said. "I believe they are hopeful that the nations of the empire will become true and great and powerful partners—it is to their advantage, too, that we should strengthen that feeling in every way."

There is a clear indication, he said, that the United States has no thought of becoming part of an international air system.

"It would be supreme folly if we of the British empire should follow that course," he said, adding he did not criticize the U.S. for its course, and that the U.S. would not criticize the empire for standing together in the air, "if, with sensible self-interest, they (the empire countries) decide to work together."

Our duty—Buy Victory Bonds.

## Local and General Items

The Editor will be glad to receive items for this section, regarding visitors entertained, parties leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, teas, showers, presentations, anniversaries, etc. Phone items in to 11 or hand them in at The Enterprise office not later than Thursday evenings.

Tomorrow is last day for filing income tax returns.

An athlete has no invisible means of support.—The late Lord Tweedsmuir.

A suburban Winnipeg white leg-horn hen is accused of laying a half-pound egg.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King arrived in Britain yesterday to attend a conference of British leaders.

Things have indeed come to a pretty mess when Dora has to comb her hat out of her hair to find it.

Mrs. Joe Charette underwent a major operation in a Pincher Creek hospital and is reported doing well.

Ted Thall, of Macleod, has been patient in hospital at Lethbridge for about seven weeks. He is now able to be around.

Suckers were being examined in Blaimore last night — not the kind you think, but those from the BC streams.

The Blaimore tennis courts are being made ready for the season, and will be open shortly to anyone between the ages of 15 and 94.

A member of the Halifax police force faces trial on the charge of stealing an electric motor from the ruins of a service hostel destroyed by fire.

The Michel-Natal Rod and Gun Club has a membership of over 200. They intend erecting a small fish hatchery at Grave Lake, some fifteen miles up the Elk Valley. A zone meeting is to be held at Cranbrook on May 6th, with delegates from Natal-Michel, Fernie, Cranbrook, Kimberley and Creston.

The Banff-Jasper highway will likely be opened to motor traffic the last week in May.

Hubby (after the strafe): "I may be a worm, dear, as you say; but at least a worm can make both ends meet."

FOR SALE—Two Saddle Horses. Mare, 5 years, gentle, also harness broke; kid's pony, 12 years, gentle. \$30 each. L. Robertson, Lundbreck.

The entire directorate of the Calgary Zoological Society has resigned after some sixteen years of leadership in building up the St. George's Island zoo.

There are some guys so dead they should keep away from a cemetery while a funeral is being held. They might easily be placed in the pit by mistake.

Each member of the Trail Smoke Eaters, first British Columbia team to win the Western Canada junior hockey championship, is to be given a \$50 Victory Bond.

J. A. Yeager, 57, CPR agent at Crow's Nest for some years, died suddenly on Sunday of a heart attack. The remains were forwarded to Swift Current, Sask., for burial. He is survived by his wife.

The remains of 13-year-old Francis Vysolhid, of Frank, who passed away in Bellevue on Friday last, were laid to rest in the Blaimore Union cemetery on Monday evening, following service held at the family home.

Joseph S. Zak, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zak, who suffered injuries overseas, returned home the early part of the week. He is looking quite well and is able to move around with the use of a cane.

Roads were still blocked with snow in the Lorne and Elgin districts of Nova Scotia on April 18th.

St. Anne's church tennis courts have been very nicely arranged for the season, and will be open in a few days.

Belligerent governments' expenditures in the present war now total \$1,000,000,000,000, more than twice what the first great war cost.

Gerald Cote, of Montreal, scored his third marathon victory recently, covering the distance of 26 miles in 2 hours, 31 minutes and 50 seconds.

A Fernie man who died a few weeks ago wishes to extend his sincere thanks to the doctors and nurses who attended him, also the friends who visited him during his illness.

On Saturday evening last a well attended meeting was held at the Willow Valley school, 20 miles north of Lundbreck, when a local of the AFU was organized with Yves Evans as president and Mrs. Nellie Pharis as secretary.

Funeral for the late Austin Fisher, of Bellevue, was held from the Crow's Nest Funeral Home on Tuesday evening, with service at St. Luke's church at 5 o'clock. The remains were laid to rest in the Bellevue cemetery. Austin was single and in his thirtieth year. His dad predeceased him several years ago. Austin died from an attack of pneumonia. He is survived by his mother, one sister and five brothers.

Joe Steffano lost a right hand shoe over the week end. It would fit a foot measuring from eleven inches to one and a quarter feet in length. The width does not matter. Anyway, it's no good to anyone else, and the fitter will be suitably rewarded upon returning same to The Enterprise or some other reliable place of business in the Crow's Nest Pass. Joe says the shoe needed a new rubber heel and a shoe lace. We were asked to give this matter a big display heading, but we consider the boot a too low matter.

## CHIEF MOUNTAIN PORT OF ENTRY NOT TO OPEN

It is learned that the United States customs authorities have decided not to open the Chief Mountain port of entry office this summer, and it is expected Canadian authorities will take similar action in connection with the office on this side of the line at Waterton National Park. Travellers will use the Carway port of entry, farther east.

Owing to gas and tire restrictions, there has been a great falling off in travel through Chief Mountain way the last few seasons.

Mrs. R. Smith, of Blaimore, underwent a major operation in a Pincher Creek hospital recently.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Irwin, of Blaimore, on April the 22nd.

The Fumagalli garage at Hillcrest was destroyed by fire on Sunday night.

A German prisoner of war was accidentally killed in a camp near Lethbridge on Sunday night.

For killing his wife with an axe, Albert Murray Poynter, 48-year-old shipwright, was at New Westminster awarded five years in jail.

A. L. Smith, KC, prominent Calgary lawyer, has been chosen Progressive-Conservative candidate for Calgary West federal constituency.

Twenty-five years ago E. Picarello, of Blaimore, purchased a new McLaughlin car. Some folks are of the opinion that he has quit driving it.

The remains of the late Spr. Angus McDonald were laid to rest in the Coleman Catholic cemetery on Sunday forenoon. The funeral was largely attended.

Charged with refusal to work in an Edmonton packing plant on directions of National Selective Service, Frank Peckance, 18, was fined \$50 and costs or three months in jail. He took the jail term.

Members of Kimberley's new town council are Wallace Lloyd, S. McNeil, Norton, F. P. Levis, Murray Garden, Bruno Fabro and L. M. Bonnell.

Under the auspices of the Hillcrest Club LP Party, a dance will be held in the Union hall at Hillcrest on Saturday night of next week, May 6th.

The Blaimore Fun Club will stage a programme of sports at the Blaimore athletic grounds on Monday next, May Day, commencing at 10 a.m.

When news of the invasion of western Europe is received at New Rochelle, New York, the historic Trinity Episcopal church will toll its bells summoning residents to prayer.

Blessing on thee, little hen; thou hast satisfied my yen for thy product, fried and poached; golden hen-frit, unsupervised when the article is rare, please at a dine a pair.—Ex.

Hon. Solon Low, national Social Credit leader and provincial treasurer and minister of education, is suffering from an attack of influenza at his home in Edmonton.

A business man thought his staff rather lazy and indifferent, so he pinned up the following notice: "Bread is the staff of life, but that is no reason why the life of our staff should be one continuous loaf."

An estimated \$112,000,000 was collected from the beginning of the war up to March 31st last by newspapers and other organizations which insured against war to supply comforts to service men and women, prisoners of war, to bombed out Britons, to British school children and others.

President Roosevelt has directed Secretary of War Stimson to take any action that may be necessary to enable Commerce Secretary Jesse Jones to carry out the presidential order for seizing and operating the plants of the Montgomery Ward Company at Chicago. The government plans to assume control of the big mail order house on grounds the concern had refused to comply with a presidential directive.

## HOT-FLASH SPORT NEWS

Permission has been received by the Blaimore Community Badminton and Tennis Club to use the west-end tennis courts. So far this club has started preparing the courts for play by having a bulldozer from the Sartoris Lumber Co. at Blaimore take a thin layer of sod and soil off the playing surface of the courts. With considerable more work the courts should be in condition for play in a short time.

All persons interested in playing tennis with this club are invited to attend a meeting to be held in the Court House at 7:30 p.m., on Tuesday, May 2nd. The attendance and support given this meeting will have a great bearing on the success of tennis in Blaimore. The executive of the Blaimore Community Sports Association is being invited to attend. The tennis club plans on seeking some financial assistance from the association to carry on this community undertaking.

Badminton was finished for this year at the Columbus hall on Thursday night. A very successful season has been enjoyed by the club, due largely to the co-operation of the merchants and business men, and the members themselves. Some fifty persons enjoyed badminton in Blaimore last winter.

Organization of the first Bracken club in Alberta took place in Calgary on Friday last. Another branch is being formed in Edmonton this week end. Since the original club was founded they have spread through the prairies on a wide scale and several other new clubs are operating in the old city of Quebec.

Hon. Solon Low, minister of education, asks teachers to take employment wherever possible during the vacation period, July 17 to September 30. There is an acute shortage of farm workers, and every teacher who has had previous experience in this field is urged to return to it for the summer months.

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